

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S7667–S7722

Measures Introduced: Six bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1470–1475, and S. Res. 217. **Page S7699**

Measures Reported:

S. 529, to assist in the conservation of rare fields and rare canids by supporting and providing financial resources for the conservation programs of countries within the range of rare felid and rare canid populations and projects of persons with demonstrated expertise in the conservation of rare felid and rare canid populations. (S. Rept. No. 111–52)

H.R. 80, to amend the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 to treat nonhuman primates as prohibited wildlife species under that Act, to make corrections in the provisions relating to captive wildlife offenses under that Act. (S. Rept. No. 111–53)

H.R. 388, to assist in the conservation of cranes by supporting and providing, through projects of persons and organizations with expertise in crane conservation, financial resources for the conservation programs of countries the activities of which directly or indirectly affect cranes and the ecosystems of cranes. (S. Rept. No. 111–54) **Pages S7698–99**

Measures Passed:

Condemning and Combating Anti-Semitism: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 11, condemning all forms of anti-Semitism and reaffirming the support of Congress for the mandate of the Special Envoy to Monitor and Combat Anti-Semitism, after agreeing to the committee amendments, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Page S7719**

Hagan (for Collins) Amendment No. 1639, to amend the preamble. **Pages S7720–21**

New Frontier Congressional Gold Medal Act: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 951, to authorize the President, in conjunction with the 40th anniversary of the historic and first lunar landing by humans in 1969, to award gold medals on behalf of the United States Congress to Neil A. Armstrong, the first human to walk on the moon;

Edwin E. “Buzz” Aldrin, Jr., the pilot of the lunar module and second person to walk on the moon; Michael Collins, the pilot of their Apollo 11 mission’s command module; and, the first American to orbit the Earth, John Herschel Glenn, Jr, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto: **Page S7721**

Hagan (for Nelson (FL)) Amendment No. 1640, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S7721**

Hagan (for Nelson (FL)) Amendment No. 1641, to amend the title. **Page S7721**

Measures Considered:

National Defense Authorization Act: Senate resumed consideration of S. 1390, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2010 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S7667–96**

Adopted:

Levin (for Kennedy) Modified Amendment No. 1614, to limit prosecutions until the Attorney General establishes standards for the application of the death penalty. **Page S7683**

Levin (for Sessions) Modified Amendment No. 1615, to authorize the death penalty. **Page S7683**

Levin (for Sessions) Modified Amendment No. 1617, to require that hate-crimes offenses be identified and prosecuted according to neutral and objective criteria. **Pages S7683–86**

By a unanimous vote of 92 yeas (Vote No. 234), Levin (for Sessions) Amendment No. 1616, to prohibit assault or battery of a United States serviceman on account of the military service of the United States serviceman or status as a serviceman. **Pages S7686–89**

Pending:

Thune Amendment No. 1618, to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to allow citizens who have concealed carry permits from the State in which they reside to carry concealed firearms in another State that grants concealed carry permits, if the individual complies with the laws of the State. **Pages S7689–96**